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FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 0846

AMEMBASSY VIENNA PRIORITY

INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

AMEMBASSY DOHA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

C O N F I D E N T I A L KUWAIT 3823

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ENRG, KU, US

SUBJECT: US/KUWAIT DIALOGUE ON ENERGY

REF: STATE 195432 (NOTAL)

1. REFTEL DISCUSSED DESIRE OF U.S. TREASURY OFFICIALS DOUGLAS MCCULLOUGH, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ENERGY POLICY AND MR. CHARLES SCHOTTA, DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL ANALYSIS TO MEET SHAIKH ALI KHALIFA, ASSISTANT UNDERSECRETARY FOR PETROLEUM ECONOMICS AND SECTED OTHER KUWAITI OFFICIALS IN KUWAIT AROUND FIRST WEEK IN OCTOBER. PROPOSED MEETINGS WOULD FOLLOW-UP ON EARLIER SESSIONS HELD HERE LAST JULY.

2. SHAIKH ALI AND OTHER MINISTRY FINANCE AND OIL OFFICIALS PRESENTLY IN VIENNA FOR OPEC MEETING. THEY EXPECTED TO REMAIN OUTSIDE KUWAIT, EITHER IN VIENNA OR LONDON FOLLOWING OPEC  
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SESSION FOR TALKS BETWEEN GOK AND GULF/BP. BECAUSE OF ABSENCE

OF ALI KHALIFA AND OTHER KEY MFO OFFICIALS FOR WEEK OR SO, WE  
UNABLE PROVIDE ANSWER TO REFTEL. EMBASSY VIENNA MAY WISH TO  
TRY TO PASS REQUEST FOR MEETING TO ALI KHALIFA AND TO TRANSMIT  
HIS RESPONSE TO THE DEPARTMENT. DEPARTMENT REQUESTED REPEAT  
REFTEL TO VIENNA AND LONDON.  
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